

PATENT APPLICATION

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q61434

Toshikazu NAKAMURA

Appln. No.: 09/674,377

Group Art Unit: 1647

Confirmation No.: 7003

Examiner: Lorraine Spector

Filed: October 30, 2000

For:

NEOVASCULARIZATION INHIBITORS DERIVED FROM HGF AND METHODS

INVOLVING THE SAME (as amended)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of three months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of March 16, 2006 to September 18, 2006 (September 16<sup>th</sup> being a Saturday).

Please charge the statutory fee of \$1020.00 to Deposit Account 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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